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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 30, 2005, applicant elects Group I (Claims 1-3, 5-19, 21, 23-28, 36, and 38-49) for prosecution in the above-identified patent application without traverse. Election is without prejudice to applicant's right to prosecute the non-elected claims in a subsequent patent application.

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